THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY EVENING, AUGUST 3.

THE OYSTER.-An observer of the oyster says that he is not so stupid as he looks; he can keep his mouth shut and thereby defy all our arts to wile a secret from him. When spatting time with the oyster comes it is said to be sick or milky. This appearance is due to the accumulation of the spat, which is, in its earlier stages of development, of a creamy consistence and color. When the spat is mature it assumes the appearance of the scrapings of a slate-pencil; the parent oyster then opens its shell, and a kind of mistiness is observable in the surrounding water. This is caused by the myriads of young oysters scattered in every direction. No sooner are these tiny creatures free from their mother than they assume the most active state of life and motion, dancing and gyrating up and down in eccentric columns, as midgets play in the evening sunbeams. Under the lens of a microscope you will see how exquisitely these little fellows are fashioned. A pair of tiny shells, the counterpart of those of the maturer oyster, encloses the yet rudimentary organs, while affixed to the mantle is a kind of tiny coronet, composed of minute hair-like appendages, (cilia.) The violent and ceaseless vibration of these paddles serves to row the infant oyster rapidly from place to place. Should it be the destiny of one of these fragile beings to become a steady, wellbehaved oyster, it finally settles itself upon some suitable resting place, to which it makes itself fast-no one very clearly knows how-by the under valve or shell. The bristle-like oars or cilia, no longer of any utility, disappear, and, now a permanen: fixture, the baby oyster begins to grow. At about a fort-night old it is not much bigger than a fair-sized pin's head. and at three months about that of a split pea. Having attained a year's growth under favorable conditions the young oyster will have become as big as an ordinary half penny, while at four years' growth they are considered marketable.

AUCTION SALES.

CORPORATION AND OTHER STOCKS FOR SALE.
On TUESDAY, August 6th, 1872, at twelve o'clock m., at the front door of the Custom Heuse, Alexandria, Va., will be sold at public

auction the following: Alexandria Corroration Stock, \$1000. Washington and Ohio R. R. stock, 27 shares. Manassas Gap Railroad Stock, 2 shares. Alexandria Caral Stock, 25 shares. Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Stock, 3 shares. Terms cash.

TTIRGINIA LANDS. RIVER BOTTOMS AND GOOD CATTLE FOR SALE.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY.

I will sell, at public auction, at the late residence of David Goodykoontz, dec'd., in Floyd county, Va.; on THURSDAY, the 15th day of August, 1872, THREE VALUABLE FARMS. 1st. The HOME PLACE; 716 acres; one-half cleared, embracing 120 acres of level bottom cleared, embracing 120 acres of level bottom lands, 50 acres first-class meadow, and 240 acres of good pasture lands. The uncleared land is all covered with the best white oak timber.—There is a good eight-room FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, barn and all other necessary out-houses on this farm. The whole place is in good repair and well watered; lies on the west fork of Little river, 5 miles southwest of Floyd Court House, Va., and 22 miles from Christiansburg depot, on the A., M. & O. R. R. There is upon it water power sufficient for any machinery.
2d. The WEDDLE FARM; 203 acres; fourfifths cleared; includes 25 acres of meadow land. The cleared land is all well set in grass. This farm is 6 miles south of Floyd C. H., on the Hillsville and Floyd C. H. turnpike, and is well

3d. The HYLTON FARM; 250 acres; two-thirds cleared; 150 acres in grass; all well wa-tered. There is a good four-room DWELLING HOUSE on this tract. It lies 7 miles southwest of Floyd C. H., on the Dug Spur road.

These ands are not sold for debt, but for distribution among heirs. Money has always been made on them. Mr. Alfred Goodykoontz lives on the Home Place, and will take pleasure in showing the property.

At the same time and place, the administra-

tors of David Goodykoo tz, dec'd., will sell, at public auction: 40 two and three year old Steers, 2 two year old Heifers, 1 yoke Oxen, 11 Hogs, 9 Milch Cows and Calves, 6 Yearlings, 6 Horses, 1 Buckeye Mower and 1 Buggy Rake, Farming Utensils sufficient to work the farms, and a large lot of good Household and Kitchen

Terms of Sale: Lands-5 per cent cash; residue in 1 2 and 3 years, in equal instalments, the purchasers giving bonds, with good security, and a lien retained till the purchase money is paid. I sell as Commissioner of Floyd Circuit Court under a decree in a friendly suit. The cattle will be sold on 60 days credit. The other, personal property, will be sold on six months' credit for all sums over \$10. Address the un-

dersigned, at Christiansburg, Va.
ARCHER A. PHLEGAR, Comm'r.
Floyd county, Va., jy 5-21wts

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer. ON WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of August, office, the undersigned, as commissioners, under the authority of a decree passed by the Circuit Court of Fauquier county, Va., in the suit of Glasscock vs. Chapman, will offer for sale, at public auction, one unimproved SQUARE OF GROUND, the property of the late Alexander Chapman, situated in the city of Alexandria, Va., and bounded on the north by Wy he street; on the east by Columbus street; on the south by Pendleton street, and on the west by Alfred st., upon the foll wing upon the foll wing

Terms: One-third of the purchase money to

be paid in cash on the day of sale; the residue in three equal instalments at 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest from the day of sale; the purchaser to give his notes for the deferred payments, and the land to be resold at the expense of the pur-chaser in case of his failure to meet the deferred payments. The title to be retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid. All taxes which have been returned delinquent and all other State and Corporation taxes; including the taxes for the current year, to be paid out of the purchase money. JND. S. CHAPMAN, JOHN S. MOSBY, jy 23-eo4w Commissioners.

Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.1

TRUSTKES! SALE OF A VALUABLE DWELLING—By virtue of a deed of trust, from Geo. I. Thomas and Maria, his wife, for the benefit of S. Morris Waln, of Philadelphia, Pa., dated on the 21st day of January, 1856, and duly recorded in the land records of Alexandria county, Va., the undersigned, substituted trustees, "ill offer for sale by public auction, on SATURDAY, August 31, 1872, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mansion House, the LOT OF GROUND, with the two story BRICK DWELLING thereon, situated on the

north side of Prince street, between Royal and Pitt, and described in said deed as follows:—Bounded on the east by the property of John S. Milier, and on the west by the property of the estate of Julian Taylor, deceased, with the use of the alley binding the same on the north. Terms: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in three equal instalments of six, twelve

and eig' teen months, with interest from day of sale; the bonds of the purchaser, with approved security, to be taken for the deferred payments. Stamps and conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser. Possession given at once.

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\$50 REWARD-HORSE STOLEN On Sunday right, July 28th, from Cameron, Mills, a BRIGHT BAY HORSE, 9 years old, 16 hands hight; fight hind foot white. We will give the above reward for the detection and conviction of the thief and recovery of the horse, or \$25 for either. HUNT & ROBERTS, jy 30-1w Catheron Mills, near Alexa., Va.

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The steamer LADY OF THE LAKE, connecting at Norfolk with the steamers of the Merchants' and Miners' Transof the Merchants' and Miners' Transportation Company for Boston, will leave her wharf, No. 4 south wharves, EVERY MONDAY and THURSDAY at 2,30 p. m., for Norfolk. Returning, leave Norfolk on TUESDAYS, and FRIDAYS, at 3 p. m., stopping at Fort Washington, Glymont, Piney Point, Point Lookout and Fortress Monroe.

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POTOMAC TRANSPORTATION LINE. THE STEAMER EXPRESS

Capt. A. C. NICKLE, This steamer having been thoroughly repaired and otherwise improved, will resume her old route on Tuesday, March 5th, leaving pier No. 10 Light street wharf, Baltimore, EVERY TUESDAY, at 4 p. m., for Alexandria, Washington and Georgetown and Potomac River Landings. Returning, will leave Sixth st. wharf, Washington, EVERY SATURDAY, at 6 a. m., and King street wharf, Alexandria, at 7 a. m. Freight taken at lowest rates. For further

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HOOE & JOHNSTON, Agents, Alexandria, Va. feb 24-tf

RIVER ROUTE. The steamer WAWASET will resumer her TWO TRIPS A WEEK to usual landings on the Potomac, on TUES-DAY, March 5, 1872, leaving Washington at 6

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and Northwest. Double daily connection to and from White Sulphur, excepting Mail Train on Sunday. Leave Alexandria at 8 a. m., and get to White Sulphur at 8.40 same day; or leave Alexandria at 7.45 p. m., and arrive at White Sulphur at 1.16 p. m. next day. Leave New York at 9 a. m., Philadelphia at 12 noon and Baltimore at 4.45 p. m., and arrive at White Sulphur next day at 1.16 p. m. Leave Washington daily at 7.00 a. m. and 6.45

p. m., and Alexandria at 8 a. m. and 7.45 p.m., arriving at Lynchburg at 4.50 p.m. and 4.00 a.m. Leave Lynchburg at 9.00 a.m. and 11.00 p.m., arrive at Alexandria at 6.15 p.m. and 6.43 a.m., and at Washington at 7.15 p. m. and 7.30 a. m. For Manassas Division leave Washington daily (excepting Sunday) with main line train, at 7:00 a. m.; and Alexandria at 8:00 a. m. Leave Manassas Junction at 9:30 a. m.; pass Strasburg at 1:16 p. m., and arrive at Harrisonburg at 4:00 p. m., connecting with Harmon & Co's. Stage Lines to Staunton Rawley Springs, &c., &c., and at Mount Jackson, with stage line

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Eastward, leave Harrisonburg at 10:30 a.m.; pass Strasburg at 1:25 p. m., arrive at Manassas Junction at 4:50 p. m., connecting with main line through to Washington and the North and Good connections, by comfortable coaches, are

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Local Passenger Trains leave Washington, from Maryland Avenue Depot, at 7:20, 8:30, 9 and 11 a. m. and 1:50, 3:50, 6:30 and 8:10 p. m. Leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4:45 a. m., and 9:00 p. m., and BALTIMORE AND POTOMAC RIVER
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The steamer GEORGEANNA will, on and after THURSDAY, 22d of February, 1872, resume her trips, leaving Baltimore from Pier 9

Henry streets, at 4:45 a. m., and 9:00 p. m., and from the corner of King and St. Asaph streets at 6, 8 and 10 a. m., and at 12:50, 2:50 and 5 p.m.
Local Sunday Trains leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4:45 a. m. and 8:10 p.m.
Maryland ave. depot, at 8:30 a. m. and 8:10 p.m.
Through tickets can be procured at the office. Itimore from Pier 9, of the Company, corner of 9th street and Maryland avenue, Washington, and baggage checked through. O. A. STEVENS, Gen. Supt. W. J. PHELPS, Gen. Manager. ap 18—tf

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SPRING SCHEDULE, BEGINNING
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TWO TRAINS DAILY, except Sundays, between Alexandria and Hamilton.
Leave Alexandria at 8.45 a. m. and 4.10 p. m.; pass Leesburg at 10 35 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.; and arrive at Hamilton at 11 a. m. and 6.55 p. m.— Leave Hamilton at 5.40 a. m. and 12.50 p. m.; pass Leesburg at 6 a. m. and 1.12 p. m.; and arrive at Alexandria at 8.05 a. m. and 3.05 p. m. ings, to Currioman.

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House, "the centre of trade," will enable me to obtain good prices for Flour, Grain and Country Produce consigned to my care. Consignments and orders for Groceries respectfully solicited. They will receive careful oct 26-tf and prompt attention.

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Special attention given to the sale of Country Produce. We most respectfully call the atten tion of the trade to our large and splendid stock of goods, consisting of Wines and Liquors, Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Breakfast Pieces, But-ter, Lard, Cheese, Corn Meal, Crackers, Syrups, Molasses, Cod Fish, Mackerel, Herring, Woodenware, Baskets, Spices, Cigars, Tobacco, Canned Goods, Coal Oil, &c., and every other article usually found in a first class wholesale and retail establishment. Orders from the country respectfully solicited, and all orders shall receive our

prompt attention. A VERY & DAVIDSON F. J. DAVIDSON

Alexandria, Va.

ELECTION NOTICES. ATTHE REQUEST OF MANY VOTERS is this and adjoining counties, JOHN A. CARTER has consented to let his name appear

as a candidate to represent this District in C ngress-subject to the decision of the nominating convention. Upperville, Fauquier co., jy 1-tf TO THE VOTERS of Orange, Culpeper, Fau-quier, Alexandria, Fairfax, Loudoun, Madi-son, Rappahannock, Clarke, Warren and Fred-

At the solicitation of friends from various portions of the district, I hereby announce myself a candidate for Congress at the approaching fall

My life-long devotion to the principles of democratic liberty, my editorial experience and pronounced opinions upon all questions of pub-lic policy, my active participation in the labors and discussions of every political campaign which has occured in Virginia during the past ten years, ought to be sufficient guarantees that, if elected, I will discharge to lessly all the duties of the office.

Y. HOWE PEYTON,

Culpeper, Va. f elected, I will discharge faithfully and fear-

FOR CONGRESS-Dr. J. C. HILL, of Alexandria city, will be supported, subject to the decision of the Conservative Nominating Convention, as a candidate for Congress from the District composed of the following counties: Loudoun, Fairfax, Fauquier, Alexandria, Rappahannock, Culpeper, Madison, Warren, Clarke,

WILLIAM H. BECK,

Frederick and Orange.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. GENERAL CLAIM AGENT,

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Collects vouchers received from Quartermasters during the war; procures Pensions, Bounties, Patents and Land Warrants; prosecutes Claims of loyal citizens and infants for property taken during the war and for rent; Claims for Mail Service in 1861; Claims of owners of Con-tiscated Property and Claims of owners of prop-erty sold for direct taxes, for restitution; also

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AUCTION SALES.

A SSIGNEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA.—By virtue of an order of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, entered in the matter of Withers Smith, bankrupt, the undersigned, assignees of said bankrupt, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at Fairfax Court House, Va. on MONDAY, the 19th day of August, 1872, that being Court day, at about 12 o'clock m., the following REAL ESTATE, surrendered by said bankrupt in his schedules, to wit: A TRACT OF LAND, containing 132 acres, 3 roods and 13 poles, with the improvements, lying in Fairfax county, Va., about 3½ miles from Vienna station, on the W. & O. R. R., and adjoining the lands of G. W. Gunnel, Thomas J. Carper and others. This land is sold free of leins and en-

equal instalments at one, two and three years; the purchaser giving bond with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale, and the title retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid.

Fairfax co., jy 29-2aw3w By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.

DUBLIC SALE. On WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of August, 1872, at 12 m., in Alexandria, Va., the under-signed, as Commissioners of the Corporation Signed, as Commissioners of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, Va., under the authority of a decree passed at the February term, 1872, of said Court, in the suit of Dyer, wife et al. vs. Sidney H. Davis et al., will offer for sale, at public auction, the following described LOTS and PARCELS OF REAL ESTATE and all

One LOT, with three FRAME TENEMENT BUILDINGS, on the west side of Columbus street, beginning 193 feet 1 inch north of Franklin; thence north 461 feet on Columbus; thence west 113 feet 5 inches back to a 20 feet alley. Also another LOT, with a FRAME TENE-MENT thereon, adjoining the above described lot on the north, having a front of 30 feet on Columbus stree, and a like depth of 113 feet 5 inches back to the aforesaid 20 feet alley.

Also a three-story BRICK HOUSE and LOT on the north side of Prince street and 50 ft. east of Fairfax street, fronting 19 feet on Prince st., and running back 48 feet, more or less—said lot being subject to an annual rent charge of \$38. Also a two-story BRICK HOUSE and LOT on the west side of Water street, beginning about 107 feet north of Wolfe street and fronting 23 ft.

Also a HOUSE and LOT on t e east side of Fairfax street, beginning 88 feet 34 inches north of Wiskes street; thence north 22 feet on Fairfax street, and running back eastwardly to the depth of 98 fe t 5 inches—said lot being subject to an annual rent charge of \$5.84.
Also two WAREHOUSES, WHARF PROPERTY, DOCK RIGHTS and LOTS, between Prince and Duke streets, which have been di-vided, and will be sold in separate parcels as

follows, to wit: One LOT fronting 31 feet 1 inch on Union st., and running eastwardly 90 feet 24 inches to the rear of the lot of the smaller warehouse with a ten feet alley on the south side reserved for the common use of each and all the parcels and running from Union street to what is commonly called the Strand.

Also one LOT fronting 29 feet on Union st.,

and running back castwardly 69 feet 62 inches to the rear of the lot of the larger warehouse,

having a ten feet alley on either side from Union street through to the Strand.

Also the larger WAREHOUSE and LOT fronting 30 feet 1½ inches on the Strand, with a ten feet alley on either side from Union street through to the Strand, together with 14 feet 74 inches of that part of the Strand next to and ad-

Terms of Sale: One-sixth of the purchase money to be paid in cash upon confirmation of sale; the residue in four equal a nual instal-ments, with interest from the day of sale; the purchaser to have the right to pay any or all of the deferred payments before the sam shall become due; the title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid. The purchaser will be required on confirmation of the sale to insure the buildings for such an amount as will be satisfactory to the Commissioners, and in the event Dealers in
CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, WINES,
AND LIQUORS,
No. 226, King street, corner of Alfred,
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Alexandria, Va.

Islatory to the Commissioners are authorized to insure the same out of the cash payments, and to charge the amount thereof to the purchasers. All State and Corporation taxes which are in arrear and collectable, including which are in arrear and collectable, including taxes for this year, will be paid under the direc-

> At the same time and place, the undersigned, Administratrix with the will annexed of the late Josiah H. Davis, will offer for sale, at public auction, the STEAM ENGINE, BOILER and all MACHINERY, apparel and appliances thereto belonging, and which have been used upon the lot in rear of the smaller warehouse for

Terms, to wit: One-third cash; the residue in three equal instalments, payable at 6, 12 and 18 montas from the day of saie; the deferred pay-ments to bear interest and to be se used by the notes of the purchaser, with approved security.

HANNAH ANN GATCHELL, Administratrix c. t. a.

By Green & Wise,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

OMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE LAND—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Alexandria county, pronounced at its November term, 1871, in the suit of Chatham's executors vs. Tochman et al., in chancery, the undersigned, commissioners therein named, the undersigned, commissioners therein named, will offer for sale, by public auction, at twelve o'clock m, in front of the Mansion House, on SATURDAY, the 24th day of August, 1872, a TRACT OF LAND, containing fifty acres, situated in Alexandria county, Va., between Alexandria city and Washington, D. C., being a part of the "SUMMER HILL" estate, and described in the deeds of trust mentioned in schedscribed in the deeds of trust mentioned in sched-

ule A. Terms: So much as may be necessary to pay the costs of suit and sale to be paid in cash; the the costs of suit and sale to be paid in cash; the residue in three equal annual instalments at one, two and three years, respectively from the day of sale; the bonds of the purchaser, with satisfactory personal security, to be given for the deferred instalments, and to bear interest from deep and the title to be retained till they are all date, and the title to be retained till they are all paid. The cash payments to be forfeited and the land resold at purchaser's risk on failure to pay said bonds or any part of them as they may respectively fall due. Stamps and conveyancing

PAINTS, OILS, &c.—The subscribers have on hand a large stock of Linseed Oil, Lewis's White Lead, Colors, &c., which they offer

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THOMAS MOORE, JOHN S. FOWLER, Assignees

COOK & CREIGHTON,

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the appurtenances to each belonging or appurtaining—the property of the late Josiah H. Davis, and situated in the city of Alexandria, Va.,

joining the wharf and dock in front of said warehouse, reserving a space of 30 feet in width between said warehouse and the said space of 14 feet 7 inches as a foot and carriage way common to each and all the parcels; and with said warehouse the WHARF or pier, with a dock right or water privilege 47 feet wide on the northern side of said wharf and the exclusive use of the eastern end of said wharf and water privileges thereto belonging—the dock right on the south side of said wharf being the property of R. H. Miller, with the right in him to collect tolls, wharfage and dockage on the southern side of said wharf; the wharf to be kept in repair at the joint expense of the purchaser and R. H. Miller.

Also the smaller WAREHOUSE and LOT fronting 31 feet on the Strand, and running back 60 feet 7 inches, with a ten feet alley on the south side from Uun on street through to the Strand, together with the space of ground 24 feet 71 in. in width next to and adjoining the dock in front of said warehouse, leaving a space of ground 21 feet wide between the warehouse and the aforesaid space of ground as a foot and carriage way for he common use of each and all the parcels Also a DOCK RIGHT in front of the Miller warehouse. 15 feet wide, with the right of egress and ingress from and to said dock along the aforesaid alleys and reserved space on the Strand, and all other rights thereto appurtaining. An accurate survey and plat of the above parcels to be seen at the office of John S. Chap-

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S. FERGU: ON BEACH, Commissioners of Sale.

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C. W. WATTLES.

S. FERGUSON BEACH,
Comm'rs. of Sale.

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The sale of all the pre perty mentioned above to be made upon the lot in rear of the smaller warehouse.

JNO. S. CHAPMAN,

at unusally low rates.